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FM AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3130

C O N F I D E N T I A L MOSCOW 15041

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, PINT, PARM, UR, US

SUBJ: ARBATOV'S STATUS; STRATEGIC TERMINOLOGY

REF: STATE 213695

1. WE HAVE CALLED REPORT REFTEL TO ATTENTION OF PROFESSOR SHULMAN, WHO SAYS THAT IN HIS CONTACTS WITH ARBATOV DURING PAST FEW WEEKS HE HAS SEEN NOTHING THAT WOULD CONFIRM REPORT THAT ARBATOV IS IN DISFAVOR. ON THE CONTRARY, ARBATOV HAS BEEN ACTING WITH HIS CHARACTERISTIC SELF-CONFIDENCE.

2. IN HIS TALKS ON STRATEGIC QUESTIONS, SHULMAN HAS NOTED THAT HIS SOVIET INTERLOCUTORS ARE FUZZY ON WHAT U.S. STRATEGIC WRITERS MEAN WHEN THEY DISCUSS THROW-WEIGHT, PAY-LOAD, AND YIELD. HE WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE THEM WITH AUTHORITATIVE U.S. DEFINITIONS OF THREE TERMS. EMBASSY ALSO BELIEVES THAT THIS WOULD BE HELPFUL.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE PROVIDE US ACCEPTED DEFINITIONS OF THROW-WEIGHT, PAY-LOAD, AND YIELD, IF POSSIBLE BY OPENING OF BUSINESS ON MOSCOW TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8.  
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